

## McNairy County Independent

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SELMER, TENN., SEPTEMBER 11, 1914.

### County Ticket Nov. Election

For Representative  
J. P. SIFES, R.  
GEO. A. PRATHER, D.

## PERSONALS

A. C. Henry, of McNairy, was a re-nal caller Monday.

We thank Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moss for a fine watermelon Monday.

All our slippers will be sold at cost. E. F. Hendrix & Sons.

D. D. Pittman, of Sheffield, Ala., visited homefolks here Saturday.

**BARGAINS IN SLIPPERS:** We are selling all of our slippers at cost. E. F. Hendrix & Sons.

Mrs. Mattie Beck and son Jim, of Corinth, visited her brother, Mr. J. C. Houston, Saturday and Sunday.

**FOR SALE**—The Wilson residence on Fifth street; terms if desired. Call at McNairy Co. Bank.

Hobart Brewer and John Smith, of Adamsville, were visitors in Selmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Meeks and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Houston.

If you are looking for High Grade Flour at low grade prices we have it. Bryant and Richardson.

Dr. J. Hugh Carter, of Memphis, came Wednesday to spend a few days with home people.

F. S. Elgin, of Memphis, was here in attendance at Chancery court Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Stella Wilkerson left Sunday for Decaturville to resume her school duties.

J. E. Barham was a caller Monday, and will be a delegate to the Jackson Institute.

Extra nice Red Gum well curbing for sale at Warren's Lumber House, as well as all kinds of nice dressed lumber.

Misses Rebecca and Laura Holman, of Corinth, were the week end guests of Misses Josie Kerr Perkins and Josie Hagy.

You can find what you want in cakes, crackers, breakfast food, etc., at Bryant & Richardson's. Everything delivered. Both Tel. 444.

Warner Wyatt was a caller Monday, and extended his subscription for the fourteenth time, or since the initial number of the Independent.

Take your shelled corn, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, eggs, etc., to Bryant, Richardson & Co. They buy everything.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Anderson left last week for Luka Springs, for the benefit of Mr. Anderson's health. It is reported that he is improving.

If you think you can buy goods cheaper in other places than in Selmer it is because you haven't tried Bryant & Richardson.

A postal from C. A. Massengill directs us to change his paper from Texico to Clovis, N. M. He says crops are fine and cattle are abundant and in fine fix.

W. T. Powers, of Fairview, Okla., came Monday as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Gillespie. He will visit other relatives in Hardin county before his return.

J. H. Kirkpatrick was a Selmer visitor Monday and Tuesday and made us a business call. He has recently moved across the line in Chester, but is ill at heart belongs to McNairy.

R. P. Dancer, of Antlers, Okla., is having his annual visit to his old friends and relatives this week. He always calls and leaves his wheel in the nite box.

Among those out of town who attended the Vaughan lecture Saturday night were: O. B. Beck, J. E. Meeks, Geo. and Roy Sharp, of Gays; Will Meeks, of Corinth; F. M. Hagy and son, Norvin, of Adamsville.

J. J. Swain was a pleasant social caller Monday. He said his son, Rev. R. T. Swain, left that morning for his home in Memphis, Tex. His many friends are glad to know of his good position and his popularity as a minister.

J. T. Gage was here Monday. He

says he has been appointed manager of the Farmers' Warehouse at Bethel Springs, and will store 1,000 bales of cotton until Sept. 1, 1915, for 50c per bale. This does not include insurance. Money can be drawn on it.

Tobacco and Cigar Salesmen wanted to Advertise, \$100 monthly and Traveling Expenses. Advertise Smoking, Chewing Tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars. Send 2c. stamp for full particulars. HEMET TOBACCO CO., New York, N. Y.

5 or 6 doses 666 will break any case of Fever or Chills. Price, 25 cents.

### Notice to Contractors

On Tuesday, October 6th, 1914, at the Court House in Selmer, Tenn., contracts will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, for the construction of drainage canals in Huggins Creek, Sheffield Creek, Lick Creek and Billy's Creek bottoms; said Huggins creek being the main creek and the other creeks the tributaries or laterals thereto; all in the northern portion of McNairy county, Tenn.

**APPROXIMATE SPECIFICATIONS**  
Engineer's report, map, profile, etc., on file in the County Court Clerk's office at Selmer, Tenn.

Total length Huggins Creek is five and eighty seven hundredths miles. Average width at top, 29 feet, at bottom 13 1/2 feet.

Total length of Billy's Creek two and five-tenths miles.

Average width at top 18 feet at bottom 12.

Average depth six feet.

Sheffield's Creek, total length, two miles.

Average width at top eight feet, at bottom four feet.

Average depth four feet.

Total length of Lick Creek nine-seventhundredths of one mile.

Average width at top eight feet, at bottom four feet.

Clearing of right of way to be included.

Work to begin November 2nd, 1914; completion within nine months.

Ten per centum deposited with Frank Deaton, Treasurer, Finger, Tenn., with each bid, either cash or certified check.

Right to reject any and all bids reserved.

Eighty per centum of proportion earned to be paid monthly, balance when work is completed.

Bids in writing, either sealed or open, received and filed any time; further particulars will be given on application to either,

FRANK DEATON, Sec.,  
Finger, Tenn.  
or GEO. A. PRATHER, Chm.,  
Selmer, Tenn.

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Bad blood, pimples, headaches, biliousness, torpid liver, constipation, etc., come from indigestion. Take Do-Do-Lax, the pleasant and absolutely sure laxative, and you won't suffer from a deranged stomach or other troubles. It will tone up the liver and purify the blood. Use it regularly and you will stay well, have clear complexion and steady nerves. Get a 50c. bottle to-day. Money back if not satisfied. All druggists. adv

### Notice of Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of sale issued to me by J. B. Graham, Clerk of the Circuit Court of McNairy county, Tennessee, dated on the 17th day of August, 1914, I will expose to sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, on the 23rd day of September, 1914, in the town of Selmer, at the Court House, the following real estate, to-wit: Lying and being in McNairy county, Tennessee, and in the 15th civil district thereof, and bounded as follows: On the north by the M. E. Church; on the east by the Newell heirs; on the south by the Newell heirs or alley; and on the west by the public road, levied on as the property of the defendants, W. E. Parrish and Chas. Parrish, to satisfy a judgment in favor of Cluett Peabody Company and against the said Parrishes.

This September 3rd, 1914.  
J. W. GRAY,  
Sheriff.

### Rheumatism Pains Stopped

The first application of Sloan's Liniment goes right to the painful part—it penetrates without rubbing—it stops the rheumatic pains around the joints and gives relief and comfort. Don't suffer! Get a bottle today! It is a family medicine for all pains, hurts, bruises, cuts, sore, throat, neuralgia and chest pains. Prevents infection. Mr. Chas. H. Wentworth, California, writes: "It did wonders for my rheumatism, pain is gone as soon as I apply it. I recommend it to my friends as the best liniment I ever used. Guaranteed. 25c. at your druggist. adv

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## SAND BOX

When we stated last week that it would cost \$15 per acre to dig that drainage canal, it was based on the engineer's report of \$13 per acre, when we all know their estimate was the minimum..... Now that all the county team is hitched up the voter will say which is the best puller "Jonny or Georgy"..... There was a good September crowd here Monday, and everybody in a good humor..... The more one reads about the war the less he knows about it, as the reports conflict. It is too big a war, anyhow, for one man to follow..... A light rain Monday with clear Tuesday will not retard cotton picking, which is on hand this week. Cotton never was known to open as early and rapidly as this season..... The High School enrolled 137 Monday. It is expected to reach easily 150 this week..... A number of delegates attended the republican convention at Jackson Thursday. The editor of the Independent was selected as temporary chairman by the committee..... There has been efficient street grading on upper Court Ave. within the past few days..... Prof. Vaughan's lecture Saturday night was well attended, and the crowd seemed to enjoy much of the mimicry and character rendition..... The plan to cut down the next cotton crop is for banks and merchants to refuse money to planters, unless they cut their crop one half. This will relieve the price of the present crop..... Local politics is getting a little hot in spots. Keep your underclothing on boys..... The last war engagements show the allies had the best of it. Something big will soon be doing..... Chancery court this week, with Chancellor Ross on the bench..... The Independent publishes for any politician what he thinks will help his cause, upon paying for the space at our regular advertising rate. We are not responsible in any way for anything so said.

### REMEMBER YOUR LAST DOSE OF CALOMEL?

You probably recall the bad after-effects of the calomel more than the sickness you took it for. You need never again go through with being "all knocked out for a day or two by calomel."

Next time your liver gets sluggish and inactive, we urge you to go to B. L. Browder for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic, a splendid vegetable liquid medicine that will start your liver as surely as calomel ever did and with none of the after-effects of calomel. It is absolutely harmless both to children and adults and demands no restriction of habits or diet.

A large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic costs only fifty cents and the druggists who sell it guarantee it to take the place of calomel, and will refund your money if it fails in your case or if you are not satisfied. adv

5 or 6 doses 666 will break any case of Fever or Chills. Price, 25 cents.

### 6 Percent MONEY 6 Percent

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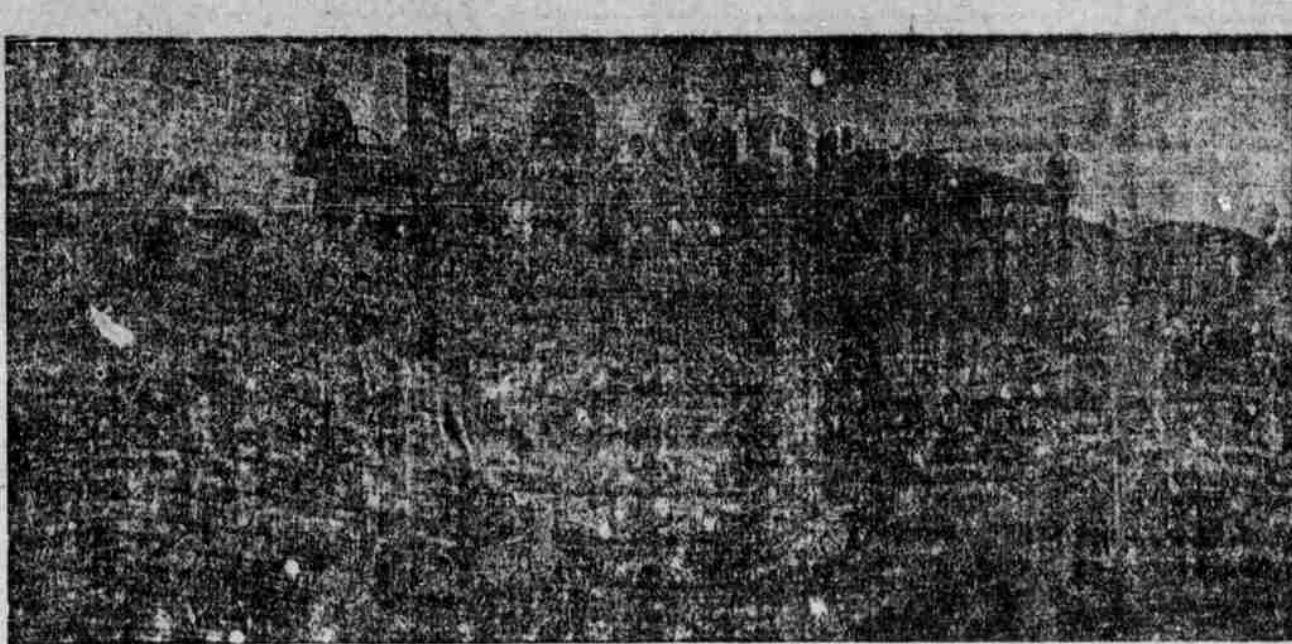
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Hot and Cold Baths.



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BOYS' ENCAMPMENT AT TENNESSEE STATE FAIR.

### Easy to Darken Gray Hair

When your hair turns gray, streaked with gray, white, faded, brittle, falling out, itching scalp or dandruff, try the following: On retiring rub Q-Ban like a shampoo on hair and scalp. 1 y morning the gray has disappeared and another application or two of Q-Ban the hair is beautifully darkened and becomes fluffy, glossy and luxuriant with real hair health. Itching and dandruff have stopped. Q-Ban stops falling hair and promotes its growth. Q-Ban is not sticky and messy, and cannot injure the hair or scalp. Delightful to use and sure to darken hair so evenly and naturally no one can tell. 50c for a \$1 bottle. B. L. Browder, Selmer, Tenn. adv

### RUB-MY-TISM

Will cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Old Sores, Tetter, Ring-Worm, Eczema, etc. Antiseptic Anodyne, used internally or externally. 25c

Dr. Black's Eye Water contains no poison, is painless and harmless, and guaranteed to cure sore eyes in people, horses and dogs. A bottle will be sent by mail on receipt of price, 25c. Address: J. R. Black Medicine Co., Manufacturers, Kennett, Mo. For sale by all druggists.

### No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken three or four times a day will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not grip or sicken. 25c

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### TENNESSEE STATE FAIR.

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### Farm Boy's Encampment at State Fair

Due to the splendid cooperation of the country press, the county agents, the county superintendents and the farmers' clubs, the farm boys' encampment at the Tennessee State Fair this year will be the best one ever held. There will not be a single county unrepresented, from present indications. These boys will have the time of their lives. It will be a mile post in the career of each one. They will obtain some inspiration of value all through life. The persons who worked so hard to obtain trips for the boys last year are at it again this year, and they have created something which money cannot buy—a bright spot in a boy's life, and bright spots are none too frequent. Are they?

### SEASHORE EXCURSIONS TO CODEN & BAYOU LA BATRE, ALA.

Via MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD

Low round trip fares from Union City, Tenn., Citronelle, Ala., and intermediate agency stations. Tickets on sale for all trains on Sundays, to and including September 27, and for all trains leaving Birmingham, Ala., and intermediate stations before 12:00 o'clock noon Mondays following Sundays in above period. Good for return to original starting point the 7th or 10th day from date of sale, according to fare at which sold.

**FINE FISHING:** salt water bathing; boating and driving. Ample Hotel Accommodations. For illustrated and descriptive pamphlet, showing exact fares, names of Hotels, etc., apply to Ticket Agents, Mobile & Ohio Railroad, or write G. E. ALLEN, District Passenger Agent, Jackson, Tenn., G. A. GRIFIN, Traveling Passenger Agent, Meridian, Miss., HARVEY E. JONES, Jr., General Agent Passenger Department, Mobile, Ala.



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Jackson, Tenn.

### Beef and Milk A-plenty

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Any time any of my cattle get anything wrong with them I give them a few doses of Bee Dee STOCK MEDICINE. They soon get well. John S. Carroll, Moorhead, Miss.

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